

## **BEVERLY GARD**

## Indiana State Senator

Senate District 28

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Indiana State Senate, 1988 - present

Leadership

Energy and Environmental Affairs Committee Chair, present

Environmental Affairs Committee Chair, 1999-2004

Environmental Quality Service Council Chair, 1994, '95, '97, '99, '01, '03, '05

Standing Committees

Energy and Environmental Affairs, Chair

Health and Provider Services

Public Health Subcommittee, Chair

Homeland Security, Utilities and Public Policy

Regulatory Affairs Subcommittee

Governmental Affairs and Interstate Cooperation

Interstate Subcommittee

Education

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga; B.S. in Chemistry

Graduate work in Biochemistry

Occupation

Former Biochemist in the health care industry

National Conference of State Legislatures Activities Brownfields Task Force, 2004 - present Executive Committee, 2001 - 2004

Standing Committees Vice Chair, 2004-2005

Environment Committee Chair, 1999 - 2000; 2005-2006 (Vice Chair)

Clean Air Working Group, 1998 - present Environment Committee, 1995 - present

Advisory Committee on Energy

National Council on Electricity Policy Committee

**Legislative Activities** 

Council of State Governments Midwest -- Energy Task Force, 2005

**Environmental Quality Service Council** 

Health Finance Commission

Office of Women's Health Advisory Board Clean Manufacturing Technology Board Great Lakes Regional Collaboration

Other Activities

Improving Kids' Environment, Board of Directors, 2004 - present

Hancock County Community Foundation, Board of Directors, 1996-2005

Recognitions

U.S. EPA Children's Environmental Health Recognition Award, 2005

Indiana Medical Association Legislator of the Year, 2003

Lead-Safe Leadership Award, 2001

Conservation Officers' Legislator of the Year, 2001

Indiana Public Health Association Legislator of the Year, 2001

Indiana Autism Committee Leadership Award, 2001

Indiana Health Industry Forum Award, 2000

Parks and Recreation Association Legislator of the Year, 1996 Republican Mayor's Association Woman of the Year, 1990